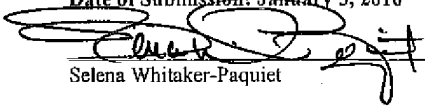


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re **Edward I. WULFMAN, Casey TORRANCE, Brian CRAN and Brent NISTAL**

Group Art Unit: 3763

Application No. : 10/798,621  
Filed : March 10, 2004  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 13, 2009, applicants request that the  
subject application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this  
paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.